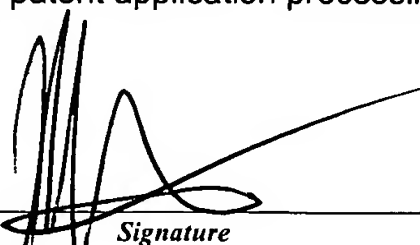
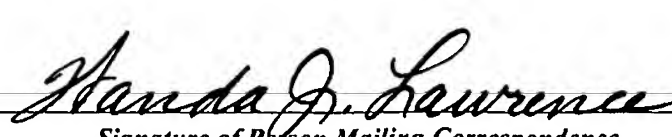


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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 8, 2003 (Paper No. 120303), please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,

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